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Note by the Secretary-General

- 1. In paragraph 4 of its resolution 2082 A (LXII) of 13 May 1977, the Economic and Social Council decided that the reports of the Ad Hoc Working Group of Experts on Southern Africa should be brought to the attention of the General Assembly without delay.
- 2. In accordance with that resolution, the Secretary-General draws the attention of the General Assembly to the following reports of the Ad Hoc Working Group of Experts prepared in accordance with Commission on Human Rights resolution 5 (XXXVII) and General Assembly resolution 35/206 N and Economic and Social Council decision 1981/155:
- (a) Interim report on policies and practices which violate human rights in South Africa and Namibia (E/CN.4/1485);
- (b) Special report on the effects of the policy of <u>apartheid</u> on black women and children in South Africa (E/CN.4/1497);
- (c) Report on infringements of trade union rights in South Africa (E/CN.4/1486).